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of Correction

This is a decision on the renewed petition under 37 CFR 1.182 filed August 11, 2003, to reprint the assignees name on the front page of the Letters of Patent.

The renewed petition under 37 CFR 1.182 to reprint the front page of the Letters of Patent is GRANTED

Petitioner has requested that the front page of the Letters of Patent be reprinted because of extenuating circumstances relative to the public nature of the invention and out of fairness to the assignees. The PTO will reprint the front page of the Letter of Patent of if the following conditions are met:

1. submission of the petition fee under 37 CFR 1.182.

2. payment of the \$130.00 petition fee.

3. payment of a \$100.00 fee to place a certificate of correction in the PTO archives.

4. return of the original Letters of Patent.

The original Letters of Patent were in the application file. Deposit account 50-0130 will be charged \$100 for the Certificate of Correction. Accordingly, since petitioner has met all four conditions noted above, the front page of the Letters of Patent will be reprinted to include the assignees name.

The file is being forwarded to the Certificates of Correction Branch for appropriate processing of a Certificate of Correction to be placed in the Office archives reflecting the assignees as "The Carnegie Institution of Washington" and the "University of Massachusetts". Thereafter, the file will be forwarded to the Publishing Division for reprinting of the front page of the original Letters of Patent.

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